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Additional Reading Time - 10 minutes

Use additional reading time to go through the question paper, select the questions you will answer and decide which of them you will prioritise.

Catholicism I

Note :

(i) *Answer all questions.*

(ii) *In each of the questions 1 to 40, pick one of the alternatives* (1), (2), (3), (4) *which is correct or most appropriate.*

(iii) *Mark a cross* (X) *on the number corresponding to your choice in the answer sheet provided.*

(iv) *Further instructions are given on the back of the answer sheet. Follow them carefully.*

1. The number of books contained in the Holy Bible, the sacred book of Christians is
(1) 46. (2) 70. (3) 72. (4) 73.

2. What is the meaning of the name 'Theophilus'?
(1) Great Missionary (2) Artist (3) Close Friend (4) Friend of God

3. At which liturgy of the hour is the song of Simeon sung?
(1) morning (2) midday (3) evening (4) night

4. Due to which reason mentioned below that a problem emerged in the early Christian Church?
(1) Teaching of the Apostles (2) Distribution of daily needs
(3) Fellowship (4) Praying

5. Select from the following alternatives the name which identifies St. Paul a unique missionary.
(1) The apostle of gentiles (2) The apostle of Damascus
(3) The apostle of missionaries (4) The apostle of Rome

6. Who said "Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets"?
(1) St. James (2) St. John (3) St. Peter (4) St. Paul

7. The Church becomes holy because
(1) it was originated in the Holy Land.
(2) it is mentioned in the Holy Bible.
(3) it was universally spread.
(4) it is related to the Holy Trinity.

8. Who said "No one can realize a task at the time of his death what he has ignored during his life time"?
(1) Pope John Paul I (2) St. Joseph Vaz
(3) Fr. Jacome Gonsalvez (4) St. John Paul II

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9. Select the option which contains two characteristics of the Holy Eucharist.
(1) Sacrifice and prayer
(2) Covenant and appeal
(3) Thanksgiving and remembrance
(4) Meal and petition

10. Three essentials in the Jewish paschal meal are
(1) paschal lamb, bitter herbs and wine.
(2) unleavened bread, bitter herbs and wheat bread.
(3) wine, wheat bread and bitter herbs.
(4) paschal lamb, unleavened bread and wheat bread.

11. Who was the priest killed by injecting poison?
(1) Maximillian Kolbe
(2) Jacome Gonsalvez
(3) Manuel De Miranda
(4) Michael Rodrigo

12. Which person was called 'the Father of faith' who led a shepherdic life?
(1) St. Peter (2) Zachariah (3) St. Jude (4) Abraham

13. Which commandment imposes us to obey, honour and take care of our parents?
(1) The third (2) The fourth (3) The fifth (4) The sixth

14. Through which prophet's call it is shown that God knows us before we were conceived in mother's womb?
(1) Amos (2) Nathan (3) Jeremiah (4) Micah

- Answer the **15th** and **16th** questions with reference to the statements given below.

A - Watching obscene websites
B - Casting counterfeit votes
C - Destroying public properties
D - Breaking marriage vows
E - Destroying good reputation

15. The acts which stand against the sixth and ninth commandments are,
(1) A and B. (2) A and D. (3) B and C. (4) B and E.

16. The acts which stand against seventh and tenth commandments are,
(1) B and C. (2) B and E. (3) C and D. (4) C and E.

17. A message that we get from the incident of Ananias and Sapphira is
(1) respecting others.
(2) humble living.
(3) acting honestly.
(4) doing charity to the poor.

18. Sending us out for a missionary work in the Holy Mass is done
(1) after the homily.
(2) with receiving Holy Communion.
(3) by proclaiming the Holy Gospel.
(4) by the final blessing.

19. What is the prayer that Jesus, surrounded by his disciples, recited at the Last Supper?
(1) Prayer of the Faithful
(2) High Priestly Prayer
(3) Prayer over the Gifts
(4) Lord's Prayer

20. The disciples whom Jesus accompanied for prayer to the garden of Gethsemane are,
(1) Peter, John and James.
(2) Matthew, John and Jude.
(3) James, Jude and Matthew.
(4) Peter, John and Matthew.

21. Israelites journey towards the Promised Land is mentioned in,
(1) the book of Genesis.
(2) the book of Exodus.
(3) the book of Judges.
(4) the book of I Samuel.

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22. According to the acceptance of the Catholic Church, what is the number of books in the Old Testament?
(1) 46 (2) 47 (3) 48 (4) 49

23. God introduced Himself to Moses by
(1) rescuing the people of Israel from the slavery.
(2) rescuing infant Moses from death.
(3) giving Moses the power to perform miracles.
(4) appearing through burning bush.

24. The people of Israel, who lived an ordinary shepherdic life, became a special people by
(1) circumcision.
(2) crossing the Red Sea.
(3) Sinai Covenant.
(4) settling in the Promised Land.

25. According to the teaching of the Catholic Church, John the Baptist was freed from the Original Sin at the moment of
(1) greeting of Mary to Elizabeth. (2) appearing of angel to Zechariah.
(3) naming him as 'John'. (4) Jesus being baptized.

26. The public life and the mission of Jesus commenced by
(1) dedicating Jesus in the temple.
(2) receiving baptism from John the Baptist.
(3) the temptations of Satan.
(4) the miracle of turning water into wine at Cana.

27. The statement "to live is to be with Christ" was said by
(1) St. Joseph Vaz. (2) St. Augustine.
(3) St. Ambrose. (4) St. Francis of Assisi.

28. To whom it was said by Jesus confirming that we need to receive Baptism to enter the kingdom of heaven?
(1) to Peter (2) to Nicodemus
(3) to John the Baptist (4) to Samaritan woman

29. Consider the following sacraments.
A - Baptism
B - Confirmation
C - Holy Eucharist
D - Reconciliation
E - Anointing of the sick
Among them the Sacraments which give healing and enduring strength are
(1) A and B. (2) A and C. (3) C and E. (4) D and E.

30. Under the leadership of a bishop, those committed to live with the laity serving them and enter into the kingdom of God with them are,
(1) Religious brothers. (2) Religious sisters.
(3) Diocesan Priests. (4) Religious Priests.

31. One of the unique purposes of the Christian marriage is
(1) accomplishing the physical needs of the parents of both parties.
(2) to buy a plot of land and build a house for all in the family to live.
(3) to become perfect in support and love.
(4) to allocate a specific time daily for each other.

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32. Those who are considered as pioneers of ascetic life,
(1) St. Jacomius and St. Anthony.
(2) St. Benedict and St. Jacomius.
(3) St. Anthony and St. Augustine.
(4) St. Augustine and St. Francis of Assisi.

33. What is the main mission of the prophetic work which belongs to the clergy, religious and laity?
(1) Evangelization
(2) Helping the poor
(3) Taking care of the sick
(4) Looking after the widows

34. God's creation for the protection of human entrusted to us becomes conductive for human existence through
(1) multiplying and taking authority over creation.
(2) increasing production through inventions.
(3) consuming the creation while taking utmost care.
(4) nourishing and breeding animals.

35. In order to have inner peace, one should
(1) make the Motherland self-sufficient.
(2) stay calm and quiet in all turbulence.
(3) refrain from harmful acts like war.
(4) respect others and their rights.

36. The purpose of loving the neighbour is to
(1) fulfill one's duties. (2) help the poor.
(3) share everything. (4) receive the eternal life.

37. What is the due age for observing the fasting?
(1) 18–60 years (2) 18–65 years (3) 20–60 years (4) 20–65 years

38. The model that Christ gave us to have dialogue between God and man is
(1) Hail Mary Prayer. (2) Prayer of the Tomb.
(3) Lord's Prayer. (4) High Priestly Prayer.

39. The assumption of Mary is important for us because,
(1) she is the queen of heaven.
(2) she was free from the Original Sin.
(3) we have a respect for her.
(4) it is a pre-figuration of our resurrection.

40. Consider the following facts.
A - difficulty to visit Christian communities due to busyness.
B - difficulty to walk on foot
C - being old aged
D - being imprisoned
E - absence of a companion

Among them what is the alternative which contains only the facts which led St. Paul to write letters?
(1) A and C (2) A and D (3) B and C (4) B and E

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Catholicism II

❋ *Answer **five** questions, including question **one** and **four** other questions.*
❋ *The first question carries **20** marks and each of the other question carries **10** marks.*

1. (i) Mention the **two** Apocalyptic Books in the Holy Bible.
 (ii) Name **two** books which belong to Wisdom Literature.
 (iii) Write **two** kinds of burnt offerings in the Old Testament.
 (iv) Name **two** main parts of the Liturgy.
 (v) Write **two** acts performed by Jesus at the Last Supper.
 (vi) Mention **two** other names for 'Pentateuch'.
 (vii) Write **two** punishments that God imposed on Eve who fell into sin.
 (viii) Name **two** Minor Prophets.
 (ix) Mention the symbol of the Gospel of St. John and write its meaning.
 (x) Write **two** phrases according to Genesis 3:6, how the woman expressed her appetite to eat the fruits from the tree of knowledge of good and evil.

2. (i) State **two** symbols apparent in the Apocalyptic Literature.
 (ii) Write **three** colours used as symbols in the Apocalyptic Literature.
 (iii) Describe **five** examples that you can learn for your life from the life of St. Peter.

3. (i) Write **two** pre-figurations of the Holy Eucharist.
 (ii) Write **three** purposes of the Eucharistic Celebration.
 (iii) Describe **five** duties of the parents towards their children in a family, which is nourished by the Eucharistic banquet and the Word of God.

4. (i) Write **two** main liturgical days of the Holy Week.
 (ii) Write **three** important feasts celebrated during the Christmas season.
 (iii) Describe **five** tasks to be performed by you in order to spend Sunday Holy.

5. (i) Write **two** points that are indicated by creating woman from a rib close to the heart of man.
 (ii) Write **three** ways that God advises us to follow the correct path.
 (iii) Describe **five** points that can be understood through the creation narratives of the Book of Genesis.

6. (i) Mention **two** points as to why we are strengthened as Christians by anointing with the oil of Holy Chrism in the Sacrament of Baptism.
 (ii) Write **three** points that signify by the white garment used at Baptism.
 (iii) Write **five** eligibilities necessary to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation.

7. Write short notes selecting **two** of the following topics.
 (i) Charitable service of Blessed Mother Teresa
 (ii) Let us live in accordance with the First Commandment
 (iii) St. Vincent de Paul Society
 (iv) My contribution as a Christian to protect the environment

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